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MEMORIAL COTTAGE
HOSPITAL



ANNUAL REPORT

1941



ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
MEMORIAL
COTTAGE HOSPITAL,
LEEK,
FOR THE YEAR 1941.



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SISTER : H. CASEY. Staff Nurses : Newall, Chell, Oulsnam, Kett.
Probationers : Potts, James, Hall, Wooliscroft.

BANKERS : DISTRICT BANK LIMITED, LEEK.

AUDITORS : G. Clay and H. H. Goodwin.

HON. SEC. : John Ward

HON. TREASURER : H. Gunson

The 68th Annual Report for the year 1941.

THE COMMITTEE have pleasure in submitting their 68th Annual Report and Statement of Accounts being that for the year ended 31st December, 1941, and on account of the importance of saving paper, the report has again been considerably reduced.

They desire to express their thanks to the Subscribers and friends of the Hospital without whose help and support the benefits of the Hospital would be curtailed.

The number of patients treated during the year was 384 and they were in for a total of 6040 days, giving an average period for each patient of rather under 16 days.

The average cost per patient per week was £3 18s. as against £4 0s. 4d. in 1940. Of the 384 patients treated, 141 were admitted with Hospital and Convalescent Fund Recommends ; 41 "Service" patients, and 43 were Private patients. There were 206 operations.

In the X-Ray Department 435 patients have been treated and of this number 228 received free recommends from the Hospital and Convalescent Fund.

The ordinary income for the year, inclusive of special receipts, was £4423 1s. 8d. and a further sum of £337 was received from the Ministry of Health for treatment of men serving in the Forces, Evacuees, etc. The Expenditure was £3368 13s. 2d.

The Committee much regret to record the death of Mr. Mitchell Smith who for many years gave his services as Honorary Orthopædic Surgeon to this Hospital. Mr. D. Wainwright has kindly consented to take his place on the Honorary Staff.

The Committee desire to place on record their appreciation of the services rendered during the year by Mr. Eric Young and all members of the Honorary Consulting Staff. To Dr. Bellamy, the Hon. Radiologist ; Mr. H. J. Arundel, the Hon. Solicitor ; and to the Hon. Auditors, Mr. G. Clay and Mr. H. H. Goodwin. Also to the members of the Ladies' Linen Guild, and to express their thanks and appreciation to all donors of gifts in kind and to all those who assisted in any way to make the Christmas festivities enjoyable and to Sister Casey and to the Staff for the excellent work done during the year.

COLLECTIONS IN PLACES OF WORSHIP.

	£	s.	d.
St. Edward's Church (Friendly Societies Service) ...	5	0	0
Mount Pleasant Wesleyan Church ...	2	2	0
" " " " (Chairman's Sunday)	14	15	6
All Saints' Church ...	6	6	0
St. Luke's Church ...	3	4	11
Longsdon Church ...	2	12	2
Cheddleton Church ...	6	0	9
Wetley Rocks Church ...	2	2	4
Meerbrook Methodist Church ..	1	0	0
Gratton Methodist Church ...	0	7	0
Rushton Church ...	1	16	9
	£45	7	5

COLLECTIONS IN WORKSHOPS, etc.

Brittains Ltd.	64	1	9
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MEDICAL OFFICERS' SUBSCRIPTIONS

				£	s.	d.
Dyson and Billington	1	1	0
Somervillè, Hallowes and Pepperdine	1	1	0
H. K. and J. H. Watson	...	...	...	11	11	0
A. Lawson	...	...	...	4	4	0
				£17	17	0

DIVIDENDS ON INVESTMENTS.

	£	s.	d.
L. M. & S. 4 per cent Preference Stock	57	5	8
London, Midland & Scottish Railway Co. 4 per cent. Debenture Stock	17	2	4
3½ per cent Conversion Loan	128	9	6
Commonwealth of Australia 3 per cent Stock	48	10	2
5 per cent Conversion Loan	46	13	4
Commonwealth Australia 4% Stock... ..	16	0	0
New Zealand 3 per cent. Stock	28	17	2
Stoke-on-Trent Corporation 2⅞ per cent	14	13	4
Potteries Waterworks 4 per cent Debentures	4	0	0
Metropolitan Water Board "B" 3 per cent. Stock ...	28	17	0
India 3½ per cent. Debenture Stock	35	16	8
3½ per cent. War Stock	422	11	9
4 per cent Funding Stock,... ..	12	15	0
4 per cent Consolidated Stock	9	18	8
2½ " " " " "	166	1	8
London N. Eastern Railway, 4 per cent 2nd Pref. Stock	22	3	2
" " " " 4 per cent Deb. Stock	39	0	0
3 per cent Savings Bonds	2	13	3
3 per cent Defence Bonds	6	11	6
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	£1108	0	2

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

RECEIPTS.			£	s.
Cash at Bank Dec. 31st, 1940	759	5
Subscriptions, 1941.	131	10
" Medical Staff ...	...	...	17	17
Income from Investments ...	...	...	1108	0
Collections in Places of Worship ...	...	...	45	7
Collections in Workshops ...	...	...	64	1
North Staffs. Hospital Fund ...	...	...	320	8
Leek Hospital & Convalescent Fund ...	...	...	1241	1
Receipts from Patients ...	...	...	1054	3
Special Receipts ...	...	...	211	1
Rents ...	...	...	227	15
Federated Superannuation Fund—re-fund of contributions paid by Hospital a/c.				
Nurse Thorley ...	...	...	13	10
Bank Interest ...	...	...	1	15

			£5195	17
Suspense Account, Cash in District Bank,				
	31/12/40		131	2
Suspense Account, Ministry of Health ...	...	...	337	0
Suspense Account, Bank Interest ...	...	...	0	16
			£5664	16

We have audited the above Financial Statement for 1941 and certify that same is correct as shown by the

FOR THE YEAR 1941.

EXPENDITURE.

	£	s.	d.
Baker	34	0	5
Butcher	146	8	6
Groceries, Butter, Eggs, Bacon	159	9	3
Fish, Vegetables and Fruit ...	64	13	6
Milk	174	9	4
Nurses' Salaries	619	2	1
Servant's Wages	525	18	4
Fuel, Gas and Electricity ...	317	1	11
Laundry	138	9	0
Household Sundries	15	2	10
Hospital Sundries	49	8	1
Repairs and Renewals	255	11	1
Printing, Postages and Stationery	35	3	9
Telephone	31	12	1
Insurance, including Health Ins.	214	16	0
Rates and Taxes	29	8	7
Dressings, Chemist. Surgical Requisites	205	1	8
X-Ray Films, etc.	73	19	1
Radiologist	52	10	0
Rent of Nurses Home	50	0	0
Furnishing Matron's Quarters...	89	9	8
Re-surfacing Entrance Drive ...	75	18	1
Purchase of £1,000 3 p.c. Defence Bonds	1000	0	0
Bank Commission and Cheque Books	10	19	11
Balance in Bank 31/12/40	827	3	11
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	£5195	17	1
Cash in District Bank (Suspense A/c)			
31st Dec., 1941	468	19	7
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	5664	16	8
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 the Hospital.

GEORGE CLAY,
 H. H. GOODWIN,

} Auditors.

Names of Annual Subscribers in 1941.

	£	s.	d.
Leek and Moorland Co-operative Society ...	10	10	0
Woolworth, Messrs. F.W., and Co., Ltd... ..	5	0	0
Barber, Mrs. B.	4	4	0
Cheddleton Freeholders	4	4	0
Haigh, Mr. Alfred,	4	4	0
Congregational Church	4	0	0
Boots, The Chemists	3	3	0
Haigh, Mr. F.	3	3	0
Martin's Bank, Ltd.	3	3	0
Brunt, Mr. & Mrs. Isaac	2	2	0
Carr-Smith, Miss A.	2	2	0
Davenports "C.B." Ltd., Birmingham	2	2	0
Dieulacresse Lodge	2	2	0
Fogg, Mr. A.	2	2	0
Johnson, Mr. F. G.	2	2	0
Jones, Mr. J. A.	2	2	0
Leek & Moorlands Provident Association	2	2	0
Moore & Brock, Ltd.	2	2	0
Swindells, Mr. J. W.,	2	2	0
Ward, Mr. H. J. F.	2	2	0
Wardle, Mrs. H.	2	2	0
Watson, Mrs. W. E.	2	2	0
Bayley, Mr. Percy... ..	2	0	0
Arnison, Mr. A. B.	1	1	0
Ash, Mr. Thos.	1	1	0
Barratt, Mr. R. Meade	1	1	0
Bowcock, Mr. S.	1	1	0
Bulbeck, Mr. D. H.	1	1	0
Burgis, Rev. W. G.	1	1	0
Carless, Miss	1	1	0
Challinor, Mrs. C.	1	1	0
Clay, Mr. G.	1	1	0
Davenport, Mr. F. L.	1	1	0
Dugdale, Mrs.	1	1	0
Goodwin, Mr. H. H.	1	1	0
Goldstraw, Mr. W. F.	1	1	0
Hall, Mr. J. H.	1	1	0
Haworth, Mr. E. T.	1	1	0
Hay, Mr. G. H.	1	1	0
Hill, Mr. Ben	1	1	0
Hill, Sir Enoch (Halifax)	1	1	0
Hine, Mrs.	1	1	0
Leek & District Licensed Victuallers Assoc.	1	1	0
Lovatt, Miss E.	1	1	0
Maskery, Mr. F.	1	1	0
Mayers, Mrs. S.	1	1	0
Moorhouse, Mr. H.	1	1	0
Morris, Mr. F. G.	1	1	0
Mountfort, Messrs. R. & Son... ..	1	1	0

LIST OF ANNUAL SUBSCRIBERS—continued.

	£	s.	d.
Newall, H. & Son...	1	1	0
Phillips, Mr. E. J....	1	1	0
Phillips, Messrs, E. & Sons	1	1	0
Pitts Bros., Messrs.	1	1	0
Porter, Mr. T. ...	1	1	0
Redfern, Mr. H. ...	1	1	0
Shaw, Mrs. A. H....	1	1	0
Shaw, Mr. J. M. ...	1	1	0
Shorter, Mrs. ...	1	1	0
Skinner, Mr. J. M....	1	1	0
Tatton, Mr. W. A....	1	1	0
Tatton, Messrs. J. H. & Sons...	1	1	0
Tellwright, Mrs. A. J.	1	1	0
Thompson, Mr. R. M.	1	1	0
Trafford, Messrs. E. & Sons	1	1	0
Ward, Major B. T.	1	1	0
Wardle, Mrs. A. H.	1	1	0
Wardle Messrs. Joshua, Ltd.	1	1	0
Watson, Mrs. G. E.	1	1	0
White, Mr. Harry	1	1	0
Whittles, Misses E. & H.	1	1	0
Wilton, Mr. G. A. (Westminster Bank)	1	1	0
Woolley, Miss E.	1	1	0
Nixon, The Misses	1	1	0
Bass, Mr. W. A. ...	0	10	6
Delaney, Mr. W. ...	0	10	6
De Ville, T. H. & Sons	0	10	6
Gilman, Mrs. W. ...	0	10	6
Martin, Mr. E. J. ...	0	10	6
Sheldon, Mr. G. H.	0	10	6
Wardle, Miss A. ...	0	10	6
Warrington, Mr. W.	0	10	6
Arundel, Mrs. ...	0	10	0
Brassington, Mr. C.	0	10	0
Armstrong, Mr. & Mrs. M.	0	5	0
Brindley, Mr. W. E. (Spring Gardens)	0	5	0
Brookes, Mr. G. M.	0	5	0
Burton, Mrs. J. S....	0	5	0
Carding, Mr. J. J....	0	5	0
Carding, Mrs. ...	0	5	0
Clark, Mrs, ...	0	5	0
Heath, Mr. J. E. ...	0	5	0
Morris, Mrs. ...	0	5	0
Provost, Mrs. ...	0	5	0
Salter & Salter ...	0	5	0
Bloore, Mr. W.	0	2	6
Milward, Mrs. E.,...	0	2	6
	131	10	0

SPECIAL RECEIPTS

£ s. d.

Mr. & Mrs. T. A. Stone in lieu of flowers for E. Bowyer	0	10	0
Mrs. Mee " " in memory of			
Mrs. M. J. Keates	0	10	0
Mrs. Boulton " " " " "			
Mrs. M. J. Keates	0	5	0
North Staffs. & S. Cheshire Clubs	3	3	0
In memory of Mrs. H. W. Banks, from the A.R.P.			
Organisation of Rushton & Heaton in lieu of			
flowers	1	0	0
C. Bellamy, Esq., proportion of private fees... ..	5	19	0
Mr. Tunnicliffe—Donation	5	0	0
Mrs. Lockett—Donation	1	0	0
Mr. & Mrs. Trueman...Donation	0	10	3
Miss Mary Perkins—Donation	0	0	6
Mr. H. W. Banks	2	0	0
Rushton Women's Institute in memory of Mrs. Banks	0	13	6
Leek U. D. C.—Donation... ..	15	15	0
Leek A.F.S. Dance	15	15	0
Mr. Keates—Donation	0	5	0
Miss Bayley— "	0	12	0
Hospital Collecting Boxes... ..	5	1	0
Donation in memory of Mr. H. Porter	0	15	0
Mrs. Watson—Donation	0	10	0
Thorncliffe Collecting Box	0	7	0
Sale of Logs	1	5	0
Mr. S. Stannard in memory Mrs. Clowes in lieu of flowers	1	1	0
Hospital Collecting Box	0	18	3
Mrs. Harvey Leek in lieu of wreath for Mr. W. D'Arcy	1	1	0
Mrs. Weston—Donation	0	10	0
Collin's Fair	29	1	7
Leek Affiliated Clubs	11	13	0
Mrs. Band—Donation	1	1	0
Leek & Moorlands Fishing Club in lieu of flowers for			
Mr. P. J. Hammersley	0	10	0
Leek Table Tennis League	4	10	0
Mr. Clowes—Donation	0	10	0
Balance of money for flowers for the late Arthur Hassell			
per Miss D. Page	1	2	6
Messrs. Bournier, Bullock & Co.,—Donation	2	2	0
In memory of Mrs. Birch in lieu of flowers from her			
nephews and nieces at Daisy Bank	0	15	0
Mrs. Pownall—Donation	0	10	0
Mrs. Titterton in lieu of flowers for Mr. G. Perry	0	5	0
Mr. & Mrs. H. Lowther in lieu of flowers for Mrs. Birch	0	10	0
In memory of Mrs. J. Hawkesworth per Mr. & Mrs.			
W. Gilman	0	10	0
Mrs. Hewines—Donation... ..	1	0	0
Leek Central Club—Sale of Cherries	0	12	0
Mr. Heath Donation	0	5	0
Mr. John Hulme—Donation	1	1	0
Miss Meakin & friends—Sale of Lavender	0	15	0

SPECIAL RECEIPTS—continued		£	s.	d.
Mr. & Mrs. Starr & Alice in lieu of flowers in memory of Mr. Arthur Hassell	...	0	10	0
Mr. H. Wagstaff in lieu of flowers in memory of Mr. Arthur Hassell	...	0	10	0
In lieu of flowers for Mr. G. P. Brown from Mr. & Mrs. Sigley, Joyce & Barbara	...	0	15	0
Directors of Wm. Milner & Sons, Ltd. in memory of Mr. Tom Hunt	...	1	1	0
District Bank Staff—Donation	...	3	3	0
In Memory of A. D. Morgan	...	1	0	0
In memory of Mr. Pocock from Workmates at Brough, Nicholson & Hall, Ltd.	...	0	11	3
Loyal Westwood Lodge of Oddfellows in memory of Mr. T. Pocock	...	0	10	6
In lieu of flowers for Mr. Henry Thompson from friends at the Black Swan	...	0	6	6
In lieu of flowers for Mr. T. Hunt per Mr. Poyser	...	0	2	0
In lieu of flowers in memory of Mrs. Buxton, Weymouth, from Harold Buxton	...	0	10	0
Leek U. D. C.—Donation...	...	15	15	0
Longsdon School Children	...	0	2	0
In lieu of flowers in memory of a dear old friend, from the Misses Whittles	...	1	0	0
In lieu of flowers for Mr. Job White from Mr. & Mrs. John Mason	...	0	10	0
In lieu of wreath in memory of Mr. Job White from Charles Leek & Sons, Ltd.	...	1	1	0
Hospital Collecting Box	...	3	4	0
Anchor Temperance Hotel—Donation	...	1	0	0
In lieu of flowers for Mr. Sillito from Mr. & Mrs. G. Heywood & Mr. & Mrs. R. Scott	...	0	10	0
Leek National Reserve Club Harvest Gift Fund	...	12	15	0
Mr. M. R. Lovenbury—"A Grateful Patient"	...	6	6	0
Women's Bright Hour in lieu of flowers for Mrs. Poultney	...	0	11	0
Balance of collection for wreath in memory of the late Herbert Broster from employees of Messrs. W. Broster & Co., Ltd.	...	0	10	0
In lieu of flowers in memory of the late Herbert Broster from nephew Edwin, Rona & Rita Mills	...	0	10	0
Leek Workingmen's Club & Institute	...	14	0	0
In memory of Mrs. Biddulph from Braid & Knitting Dept., Wm. Milner & Sons, Ltd., Langford Mill	...	0	7	6
Sale of Books	...	4	1	0
In lieu of flowers for Mr. Vickerstaff from the Staff of Wardle & Davenport, Ltd.	...	0	5	0
Mrs. D. Knight in memory of the late Arthur Knight	...	10	0	0
A friend in lieu of flowers for John Marriott	...	0	5	0
In lieu of flowers for Mr. Carter from friends	...	1	10	0
Leek Trades & Labour Club—Donation	...	3	16	0
Hospital Collecting Box	...	3	0	0
Breakage Money	...	0	5	0

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A GENERAL SUMMARY OF RESULTS IN WORKING THE HOSPITAL
FOR THE LAST EIGHT YEARS.

Year	Number of Patients under Treatment.	Total Days in Hospital for one	Average number of days for each Patient.	£ s. d. Expended each year.	Average cost per Patient per week.	Number of days Hospital open.	Average Number of beds constantly in use.	Greatest number of Patients in Hospital at one time.	Total visits of Medical Officers	Average visits to each Patient.	Patients discharged under treatment.						
											Cured	Relieved.	No better.	Died,	Transferred	Under Treatment.	Total
1934	353	5598	15.85	2517 0 5	s. d. 62 10	365	15.33	26	1637	4.63	253	53	...	20	13	14	353
1935	418	6597	15.78	2440 19 7	51 9	365	18.07	28	1936	4.63	310	47	...	23	23	15	418
1936	420	6519	15.52	2353 10 11	50 6	366	17.81	29	2159	5.14	340	24	2	25	16	13	420
1937	366	6301	17.21	3004 0 4	66 8	365	17.26	28	1926	5.26	233	73	2	22	14	22	366
1938	369	5906	16.00	3303 11 0	73 5	365	16.18	30	2317	6.28	254	62	2	21	18	11	369
1939	384	6675	17.38	3505 2 10	73 6	365	18.28	29	2550	6.64	299	35	2	24	11	13	384
1940	354	5458	15.41	3132 19 8	80 4	366	14.91	28	2209	6.42	273	28	2	25	8	18	354
1941	384	6040	15.72	3368 13 2	78 0	365	16.54	30	2023	5.26	291	49	...	25	13	6	384

